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SUBJECT: Randomized Alphabet Drawing Results for November 7, 2006
General Election

FROM:

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In accordance with Elections Code §13112, (b)(1)(C)(i) the Secretary of State's office on this date conducted a drawing of the letters of the alphabet to determine the randomized alphabet for use in the 2006 General Election.

Listed below is the official order of letters for use in determining the placement of candidate's names on the ballot.

Please note that this alphabet is to be applied THROUGHOUT the candidate's entire last name, so if more than one candidate's surname begins with the same letter, the second letter of the surname determines who goes first, according to where the second letter of the name appears in the random alphabet. For example, if two candidates with the surname of Campbell and Carlson are running for the same office, their order on the ballot will depend on the order in which the letters "M " and "R" were drawn in the randomized alphabet drawing.

1. G	6. J	11. E	16. R	21. A
2. O	7. B	12. N	17. L	22. P
3. H	8. M	13. X	18. Y	23. T
4. D	9. C	14. Z	19. F	24. S
5. U	10. I	15. W	20. Q	25. K
				26. V